ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

During an ordinary image forming operation, the number of print dots is counted based on an image signal, and a toner consumption amount is ca lculated from the r esult. Meanwhile, during a n operation under a non-ordinary mode w hich is d ifferent from the o rdinary image forming operation, a test pattern offset value Totn is extracted as a toner consumption amount which corresponds to the operation (Step S141). The test p attern offset value Totn a nd a d rive offset v alue Todn, w hich corresponds to the amount of toner which is scattered into inside an apparatus, are subtracted from a remaining toner amount Tr which is stored in a memory, whereby a remaining toner amount of toner remaining in the developer 4Y after the operation is calculated (Steps S142 through S146).

(Fig. 7)